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APPLICANT : Randy Miller

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TITLE : METHODS OF PLAYING GAMES OF CHANCE AND
GAMING DEVICES WITH TEMPORALLY LIMITED
OR SEQUENTIALLY LIMITED CHANCES FOR
ENHANCED PAYOUTS ACTIVATED BY WINNING
OUTCOMES

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ART UNIT : 3714

EXAMINER : Tramar Yong Harper

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Sir:

Pursuant to Applicant's duty under 37 C.F.R. Section 1.56 et seq., Applicant wishes to bring the following references to the attention of the Examiner prior to the consideration of the above-referenced patent application. The inclusion of any reference herein is not intended to be, and should not be construed as, an admission that the references



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are "prior art" with respect to Applicant's invention or that they render any of the pending claims prima facie unpatentable.

<u>PATENT NO.</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>PATENTEE</u>
5,580,309	Dec. 3, 1996	Piechowiak et al.
5,564,700	Oct. 13, 1996	Celona
5,324,035	June 28, 1994	Morris et al.

A copy of a completed PTO-1449 form is enclosed herewith.

CONCLUSION

Applicant respectfully submits that all pending claims are properly allowable over the cited references. If the Examiner has any questions, or comments which may expedite the prosecution of the present application, the Examiner is respectfully invited to contact Applicant's attorney at the phone number set forth below.

Also attached is PTO-2038 which includes \$180.00 to cover the cost of filing this Information Disclosure Statement.

Respectfully submitted,

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